

STEEL ALL SET TO YORK NEAR CAPACITY

Ready for Trade of First 1940 Quarter.

Associated Press

AND Jan. 8 — The steel industry is geared to meet business for the first time in some cases for a first half," said the steel today.

feature of the situation at consumers have not heavy inventory and shipped is going in promptly," the public promises steady steel needs of steel.

production returned to capacity last holiday interrupt four points under the rate. The magazine

sees "prospects of further quickening" this month.

"Numerous outlets for steel are expected to place specifications for larger tonnages during January, notably the automotive, railroad and shipbuilding industries," the review continues.

"Structural demand continues at a better rate than usual for midwinter and pending projects promise additional buying in the near future, with seasonal increase in early spring."

Steady shrinkage in steel and iron imports are noted. November's imports totaled 15,216 gross tons, 14.8 per cent below October. The October imports were 36 per cent less than those of September.

Steel's scrap composite fell eight cents to \$17.50. Its iron and steel composite is off one cent to \$37.09.

Gains in operations last week were Pittsburgh 18 points to 69 per cent, Chicago 91 to 90, eastern Pennsylvania five to 82, Youngstown 11 to 85, New England eight to 83, Wheeling 13 to 89, Cleveland 17 to 85, Birmingham 19 to 94, Detroit five to 90, Cincinnati 16 to 91 and St. Louis one and one-half to 78. Repairs trimmed Buffalo operations 7 1/2 points to 67 per cent.

RAFT AND MISS SHEARER AT RACES



Norma Shearer, often called the first lady of the screen, and George Raft, who has been her frequent escort of late, are shown here as they attended the opening of the winter meeting at the Santa Anita race track. They were among a large group of screen notables attending the races.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE

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142 ARRESTS MADE HERE IN DECEMBER

During December city police made 142 arrests and issued 1,150 traffic tags, a report of Police Chief Marks shows. The traffic tags included 1,000 "courtesy" tags distributed during the holidays and 125 which were put out in a special light-correction campaign. Only 25 of the total number were actually court citations.

Police also answered 267 calls, handled 537 complaints, served 205 meals to prisoners, recovered five bicycles valued at \$74 recovered six automobiles valued at \$3,075 and recovered other merchandise valued at \$259.75, the report shows.

Police department expenditures for the month included \$2,624.83 for salaries, \$125.42 for meals for prisoners including \$109.80 paid to the county for meals for city prisoners confined at county jail \$9 for stationery and printing, \$39.19 for cruiser repairs and upkeep, \$89.70 for gasoline and oil and \$77.20 for incidentals.

One Is Beloved BY LOUISE PLATT HAUCK

CHAPTER THIRTY-ONE Queen City

BOB'S eyes lingered regretfully on the mellow old room.

"I never expected to hate giving this up. I thought we'd move into the poorhouse when you picked this out. But you've made it mighty comfortable, honey. I should think you'd have a pang or two yourself when you think about leaving it."

"Oh, I do! I love every board in this funny old floor. I love the garden. I literally wrestled from the weeds and clods of the back yard. But I can make another garden with us, of course. It's sort of exciting to create things, isn't it?"

"Sort of. You don't think the baby will complicate the situation? How about doctors—hospitals? I don't think Queen City boasts much in either line."

"It's only ninety miles from here. I could easily come in beforehand. And you— you are you thrilled about our daughter's impending arrival, Bob?"

"I'm knocked clean off my feet at the idea of having a son," he countered promptly. "You know, Sue, he went on in a rare burst of confidence, 'I've wanted kids—lots! Not at first I was all in a ferment about you when we were first married. And then things got bad with the business, and I was worried and upset, and the crash came. I was darned glad then there weren't children to complicate matters. I suppose we're really in no position to have them now, for that matter. Still, if we're going to—'

"Exactly! she agreed. 'I'm awfully happy about it, Bob.'"

She continued to be happy during the tiring days which followed. A storm of protest greeted the Trenton's announcement that they were leaving St. Joseph for the small town of Queen City. Allen was seriously disturbed over it.

"Talk about a future! What future can there possibly be for a man in a country store? A shoe store at that! I never even heard of a shoemaker in a town of that size. Usually shoes are a sideline in the general store. Bob'll find himself out of a job in three months time, you'll see!"

Mr. Pearson doesn't think so. Allen He was a junior partner with Bob's father, you know, years ago—before he sold out and started the Pearson's Peerless line. He thinks that with all the good roads and motorists we have now there is no reason why any town shouldn't have its shoe store. It isn't as if it were an experiment either. He's established these stores in the East and they've succeeded. Why not here?"

"Because the country is not so thickly settled, the towns are farther apart. And even if Bob does make a go of this Queen City store, what is to come after that? A slightly bigger town, a slightly bigger store? No percentage in that!"

But there is, Allen, that's the point. Pearson isn't hiring Bob as manager, he's giving him a half interest. If he adds a store every

DAILY FEATURES ON THE RADIO

MONDAY (NIGHT)			
WTAM	WLW	WJR	WHKC
8:00 Girl Alone 8:15 Midstream 8:30 Jack Armstrong 8:45 Orphan Annie	Kitty Keane Midstream Jack Armstrong Silhouettes	Kath Norris Golden Bore How to Succeed Drama	Old Path Girl The Johnsons Organist Lena Woodward Sing
9:00 Chico Reyes 9:15 Walt Berenger 9:30 Sports 9:45 Lowell Thomas	Fred Kirby Sports Radio News Lowell Thomas	News G. Rowe Sports Europe Today	Bob French Sports Class Leader But Lewis Jr
10:00 Fred Waring 10:15 Love Mystery 10:30 Sammo Kaye 10:45	Fred Waring Michael Hill Stars Tonight Sports	Amos n Andy Jim Fidler 2nd Husband	Guest Night Lena Ronger
11:00 Tommy Riggs 11:15 11:30 Concert	Variety Show Concert	Tune-Up Time Minstrels	
12:00 Quiz Program 12:15 12:30 Alec Templeton 12:45	Dr. J. Q. Alec Templeton	Drama — —	
1:00 J. Pasternack 1:15 1:30 Symphony Var. 1:45	Lullaby Lady Swing	Jay Lombardo Constitution Hall	
2:00 Tom Manning 2:15 Ben N. Wheeler 2:30	Peter Grant Jock King John Hand	Paul Sullivan Jock King Sally Kaye	
TUESDAY (DAY)			
WTAM	WLW	WJR	WHKC
7:00 Express 7:15 Music Box	Family Prayer Top of Morning	Radio Quest Variety	News at 7 Musical Clock
8:00 Remember? 8:15 Musical Clock	Time To Shine Gospel Singer	News Shopping	Handwagon Musical Almanac
9:00 Jane Weaver 9:15 Hannah	Caravan Beauty in Life	N. A. Mother Lillian's Girl	Shooters About Women
10:00 Man I Married 10:15 Plain Bill	Man I Married Plain Bill	Kitty Keane Hilltop House	What's New? Music
11:00 David Harum 11:15 Helen Brown	Linda Love Lena n Tim	Mary Taylor Big Sister	Jack Dereless
12:00 Hattie Allen 12:15 Linda n Love	One Woman Farm Host	Kate Smith Helen Trent	Noon Hour Bob French
1:00 Regon 1:15 Lena n Tim	Editor's Girl	Goldberg Road of Life	Next Joyner Hatty n Huddy
2:00 Betty n Bob 2:15 Valiant Lady	Betty n Bob Valiant Lady	Max Page Our Families	Concert Packer Band
3:00 Mary Martin 3:15 Pepper Young	Mary Martin Pepper Young	Joyce Jordan Michigan U	Musical Varieties
4:00 Backstage Wife 4:15 Vic n Sade	Backstage Wife Vic n Sade	Miss Julia Dr. Malone	"This Day" Music
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12:00 Quiz 12:15 12:30 Fibber McGee 12:45	Quiz Fibber McGee	The People Rhythm Concert	
1:00 Bob Hope 1:15 1:30 Doghouse 1:45	Bob Hope Doghouse	Glen Miller Musical	
2:00 Tom Manning 2:15 Harry James 2:30 Music You Want	Peter Grant Jock King Henry Bunn	P. Sullivan Jock King Kagaboids	

SALES TAX REPORT DEADLINE JAN. 31

Reports Due from All Holders of Vendors' Licenses.

Deadline for filing semi-annual sales tax reports by vendors is Jan. 31, Carroll W. Davidson, sales tax examiner, announced today.

The reports, covering business transactions during the last half of 1939, may be filed at the annex to the office of the county auditor in the courthouse.

Mr. Davidson has arranged a schedule of visits to towns in outlying sections for the convenience of vendors in the county.

The schedule is, Meeker and Agostia, early morning Jan. 8, and Green Camp, town hall, morning of Jan. 9, Waldo, town hall, Jan. 10, Caledonia, mayor's office, Jan. 12, with visit to Martel during noon hour, Prospect, mayor's office, Jan. 15, LaRue, News office, Jan. 15.

Harris, Mrs. Mabel Castle, Mrs. Vena Ruth and Mrs. Mae Masole of Marion, a guest. Other guests were Mrs. Catherine Firstenberg of Marion, Mrs. James Cooper and children Jackie and Hope, Mrs. Mae Rice and Mrs. Eva Dell Reith.

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CHAMBERLAIN TALK ON RADIO TUESDAY

Among overseas broadcasts scheduled for this week will be an address by Prime Minister Chamberlain tomorrow morning over NBC, CBS and MBS at 9:45. He will speak for 30 minutes on "The War—Its Progress and Future."

Tonight President Roosevelt will speak from the Jackson day dinner at Washington over the WJZ-NBC, CBS and MBS chains at 11:15 over WJZ-NBC and MBS.

Eddie Cantor's annual "March of Dimes" program in behalf of the campaign against infantile paralysis is being arranged for a week from Saturday night starting at 11.

TONSIL OPERATION

AGOSTA, Jan. 8—Miss Ila Tean Chapman underwent a tonsil operation recently at Mt. Vernon.

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two years—even every three or four five—he's piling up a w-come. Don't discourage him, Buddy," she pleaded. "Even if it falls I'd rather have Bob try than stay here working for someone else. He's got real executive ability. It just needs developing, that's all."

"Faith!"

He looked at her curiously. "You have a lot of faith in Bob, don't you, Sis? Goodness knows you've stuck by him like a house afire. If he doesn't get ahead it won't be for lack of encouragement from his wife." The bitterness in his tone was significant. Sue winced as she thought of how little encouragement Allen himself received.

The Trentons' packing was complicated by the delegations of friends who dropped in to protest their departure. Forest and Barbara Webb gave what they called a "donation party" on their last evening in town. The guests brought their own refreshments, their own paper cups and plates, and folks, even their own folding chairs, since the furniture had gone by truck that afternoon.

Sue and Bob had expected to dine out and sleep at the hotel, driving directly to Queen City the next morning.

"All we ask is that you keep the house warm," Forest had telephoned. "We'll bring everything else."

So in they had trooped, bearing the most absurd gifts, a hot water bottle in case there was no electricity for Sue's heating pad; candied fruits, tins of oxtail, fat black olives, the specially imported Irish bacon which Bob liked so much, an order on a florist to supply Sue with budding plants of lilacs of the valley every other week until Easter, subscriptions to magazines, chief among them being periodicals dealing with farm problems, fruitcake, boxes and boxes of it, two gorgeous Canadian blankets, light and soft, the collection looked like a cross between an outfit for an Arctic expedition, and supplies being laid in for a house party.

"You'll see the day you'll need every bit of it and more," Forest predicted darkly. "I understand you can't even buy Cheddar cheese in Queen City!"

"Even then we may be able to worry along," Bob assured him. "As a matter of fact, I don't believe we've been buying many fancy cheeses in the last year or two, eh, Sue?"

She was dimpling and smiling over the "donations."

"You're darlings, every one of you," she said warmly. "Even if Queen City is all of ninety miles away, I suppose we may hope to see you now and then? Say every five years or so? These will come in handy when you do drop in, at any rate."

"Plan to come on Saturday and buy your shoes from me," was Bob's brazen suggestion. "You'll get a lot more for your money in Queen City than you will here, let me tell you! My overhead alone will be lower than here."

Barbara extended a satin sash. "Going to carry these in stock, Bob? I expect not. Boots to glow in will be more in your line."

"That's where you're wrong," was the cool answer. "Small town girls nowadays like chic footwear as well as their city sisters!"

Even Sue was half incredulous of this statement. She had expected, beneath the layers of her conscious mind, to be more or less

alone in her new environment. She was published speedily for this involuntary snobbishness.

The house Bob had rented in Queen City was almost as large as their old home though without most of its conveniences. It had in fact been a farm house until the lusty little city overlook it. It still spread ample skirts of lawn on either side, with lilacs, peonies, spice bush, syringa and iris to form the nucleus of Sue's new garden. In the back there were three glorious apple trees, a dark-limbed peach which was to glow with the rosiest blossoms its new owner had ever seen, and rows of stately hollyhocks.

Next door in an immaculate white cottage lived three most remarkable women. One was the author of a textbook on calculus, a subject the very mention of which terrified Sue's very soul. One was co-editor of a well-known garden magazine. The third, perhaps the most interesting of all, was a busy lawyer, her office a single room detached from the cottage, her clients apparently coming from all over the state to seek her advice. Sue passed through successive stages of astonishment, admiration and delight as far as these neighbors were concerned.

On the other side lived a humbler pair, husband and wife who last year had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Their devotion to each other was charming. Sue and Bob both came to adore them.

"I'm having all this room again!" said Sue on the second Sunday after their arrival.

"You must—with half of it empty!" he retorted. "Do we buy more furniture Sue, or do we simply shut up some of the rooms?"

"We compromise. That is, we stretch what we have over the downstairs front and back parlors, sitting room, dining room and kitchen. Upstairs, we furnish what we can three bedrooms probably. We'll use the south one for the nursery."

"What about getting a maid?" I'm going to be away a lot, you know; store keeps open late, even on weekdays. And in your condition—"

"My condition's very satisfactory, thank you! And I doubt if we could get a maid here, Bob; we'd probably have to import her

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Social Affairs

THE first meeting of the new year for members of the Woman's Board of the Marion City hospital will be held Wednesday at Hotel Harding. Hostesses will be Mrs. Philip Guthery, Mrs. Robert C. Owens and Mrs. Wilfred Schaffner.

A LUNCHEON and business meeting will be held by the Woman's Symphony board Tuesday at Hotel Harding. Mrs. Robert Y. Smith, president, will be in charge and at this time the final report on the ticket sale for the 1939-40 circle orchestra season will be made. Luncheon will be at 12:15 o'clock.

Miss Josephine Oranwood, a bride-elect of next Sunday, was complimented with a bathroom shower Friday evening when Mrs. Herman Haas of 152 East Fairground street entertained at her home. Blue and pink, the colors Miss Oranwood has selected for her wedding decorated the rooms. Blue streamers showered from a large pink umbrella suspended from the ceiling held the shower gifts. During the evening the guests compiled a recipe book for the guest of honor, and in a contest the awards were won by Mrs. Homer Walters and Mrs. Charles DePriest. Refreshments were served with appointments in pink and blue.

Present were Miss Oranwood, fiancée of Vernon D. Highland, Mrs. James Jamison, Mrs. Marion Highland, Mrs. Homer Walters, Mrs. Raymond Walters, Mrs. Charles DePriest, Mrs. Don Oranwood, Mrs. Howard Baker, Mrs. Howard Corbin, Miss Anna Mae Oranwood, Miss Eileen Pierce, Miss Lucille Pierce, Ronald and Stanley Haas.

Mrs. Robert Sampley, a recent bride, was complimented with a towel shower Friday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lester Root of Reed avenue, by the Women's Work organization of the First Church of the Brethren. During the serving of refreshments a letter received by Miss Bernice Berry announced the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cooperider which took place Sept. 24, last year. Before her marriage Mrs. Cooperider was Miss Frances Root. Guests entertained the guests, awards going to Mrs. Elmer Tice and Miss Pearl Dildine.

Letters from Cardiff, Wales, and St. Petersburg, Fla., were read to members of the Ladies' Embroidery circle at their meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. V. Roby of True avenue. Mrs. B. F. Shurz read a letter from her cousin, Mrs. Mary Fencl of Cardiff, telling of the effect of the present war on Wales. Mrs. H. C. King read a letter from Mrs. John H. Perry, a former member who is spending the winter in St. Petersburg.

A bouquet of flowers from the hostess' daughter, Miss Mary Roby of Toledo, centered the table at which a 6 o'clock dinner was served. Mrs. W. H. Hoberman will entertain the club Jan. 19 at the

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SPEAKS FOR INDIA



Reaching U. S. shores, Miss Shicora Bhatnagar (above) of India's privileged parsee caste remarked: "India has been asked to fight for the liberty and democracy of other nations but there's no talk about her own."

home of Mrs. Rose Heiwig of Pearl street.

Mrs. L. W. McDaniell and Mrs. H. J. Price were welcomed as new members at a meeting of the Fortnightly Study club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Ralston of 894 Merkle avenue. The following were named on the program committee: Mrs. Ray Klehm, chairman, Mrs. Clay Wilson and Mrs. M. F. Bishop. Mrs. Robert McCormick gave a short history of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ward entertained a group of friends at a six o'clock dinner at their home at 905 South Prospect street Friday night in honor of their nephew, Donald Eggleston of Kingfisher, Okla. Mr. Eggleston, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Eggleston of 176 Bain avenue, returned home Saturday.

Miss Ellen O'Connell of 227 Patterson street observed her eightieth birthday anniversary Saturday at her home. A number of friends called during the day and evening and she received a number of feminine branches.

CARDINGTON GIRL WEDS CALEDONIAN

Special to The Star
CARDINGTON, Jan. 8.—David Corwin is announcing the marriage of his daughter, Corinne, to Delbert Douce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Douce of Caledonia. The wedding took place June 25, 1939.

Mrs. Douce was graduated from the Cardington high school and until recently was employed at the Gander bakery. Mr. Douce is employed by a building contractor at Caledonia. The couple will live with Mr. Corwin for the present.

MARTEL COUPLE WED AT GALION

Special to The Star
GALION, Jan. 8.—A simple ceremony at the parsonage of the Market Street Methodist church, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock united in marriage Edith Sulzer and Newton Dalrymple, both of near Martel. The single ring service was read by Rev. William Dunning.

For the present, the couple are making their home with the bridegroom's parents.

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"Twelfth Night" Program Held by Shakespeare Club

MEMBERS of the Shakespeare Study club held their first Twelfth Night celebration Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Jolley on South Sefton avenue. Roll call responses were quaint customs of Elizabethan times. Dramatizations of characters from Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" by the members provided an interesting guesting contest, awards going to Mrs. Z. Stout and Mrs. H. J. Maule. Refreshments included a large cake holding traditional tokens. Mrs. Anna Wagon received the coin and Miss J. A. Slawer the doll.

A meeting Jan. 17 will be with Mrs. J. A. Slawer of East Church street, when the members will take up the study of "As You Like It."

WOMEN'S HATS ARE HOBBY OF OFFICIAL

By United Press
BONE GAP, Ill. — Postmaster Ellis Drury believes his hobby tops them all. He collects women's hats. The hundred or more in his collection fill boxes in the attic and closets and corners of his house.

AGOSTA CLUB MEETS

Special to The Star
AGOSTA, Jan. 6.—The Agosta 4-H club met Wednesday at the school. The following officers were elected: president, Carl Granger; vice president, Robert Heller; secretary, Carl Chapman; treasurer, Donald James; reporter, Wesley Withrow; recreation leader, Billy LaRue.

HIGH JINKS AT CHURCH

By International News Service
BOSTON, Mass.—Liquor drinking during church construction was an elaborate procedure in early New England days. According to records brought to light by the WPA historical records survey, when the new Congregational Center Meeting house in Charlton was built in 1789, they had two committees, one to provide the liquor and another to pass it out. The carpenters were delegated to decide when refreshments should be served.

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Madge Informs Queen of Veritex's Scheme to Replace Emeralds

QUEEN OLGA'S brilliant eyes softened unbelievably as I told her that Philip Veritex loved her most devotedly. Then a little doubting look crept into them as she smiled affectionately at me.

"I am afraid the wish is father to the thought," dear Madge," she said. "Is this the effectual answer to my query, 'Desire or chivalry?' as the motivation of Philip's proposal to me?"

"It's part of it," I told her, smiling back at her, "but I have proof of what I am saying, which I think will convince even you, and, as a doubting Thomas, you have few equals."

She laughed lightly, but there was a distinct eagerness in her voice when she spoke again.

Three-Fold Purpose

"Tell me, please, quickly," she said, and my qualms at violating a confidence of Philip Veritex's vanished. After all, I told myself, winning Olga was Philip Veritex's aim. If by violating his confidence and revealing to Olga his magnificent plan for pretending to restore her lost emeralds, could bring her to accept his suit almost immediately, I would have accomplished a three-fold purpose. I would have given Philip Veritex his heart's desire while saving him the expenditure of a fortune upon the duplication of the queen's lost emeralds. I would have obtained for Olga the ease, the luxury and the financial security for herself and her daughter which marriage with Philip Veritex would bring her, as well as romantic fulfillment of her youthful dream. Best of all, I would have solved Mary's problem, for if Olga were Philip's wife, I knew it would be an easy matter for her to sway the great theatrical magnate that he never again would try to break up Noel's marriage in order to have him wed the Princess Olinia.

Won't Betray Her

"I can tell you in very few words," I said, "and I know you will keep faith with me, and never let Mr. Veritex know that I have betrayed his confidence."

"Yes, I am sure you know that," she said quietly, and I spoke quickly test my qualms come flooding back upon me and prevent the revelation.

"A short time ago Philip Veritex told me that you refused to marry him because you had no patrimony."

"Yes, that is true," she assented.

Talk About Southern Scenery!



IN THE SWIM . . .
Betty Anne McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. McDonald, of Pawtucket, R. I., goes up in the air on a Palm Beach vacation.



BEFORE THE SWIM . . .
Elizabeth Nankivell pauses beneath a sheltering palm on Tahiti Beach, at Miami, to show off her new moulded rubber bathing suit.

AFTER THE SWIM
Betsey McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McCarthy, of Bridgeport, Conn., emerges smiling from the surf at Palm Beach.

First of Series Of Eastern Star Dances Tuesday

THE first of a series of dances to be sponsored by Lydia's Chapter No. 23, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held Tuesday evening at the Masonic temple. The series will include five dances on the second Tuesday evening of the month for the pleasure of the chapter members, Masons and their friends. Tables also will be arranged for those preferring cards to dancing.

Mrs. John L. Case is general chairman for the series. She is being assisted by Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Apt. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bull, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Guthrie. Nels Blocker and his Green Lawn orchestra will play for dancing from 9:30 until 12:30 o'clock.

Tickets for the series may be obtained from the committee members and also will be available at the temple Tuesday evening.

COUPLE EXCHANGE VOWS AT GALION

Special to The Star
GALION, Jan. 2.—Marriage vows were exchanged at 8:30 a. m. Sunday morning at the parsonage of Market Street Methodist church by Edna Berniere Hough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hough, and Thomas David Roelle, son of Mrs. Maude Roelle. Rev. William Dunning, pastor of the church, read the single ring ceremony.

Attending the couple were William Fauth of Gallion and Robert Neff of Martel.

After the ceremony the bridal party and a few close friends were entertained with a wedding dinner at the home of the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Harding.

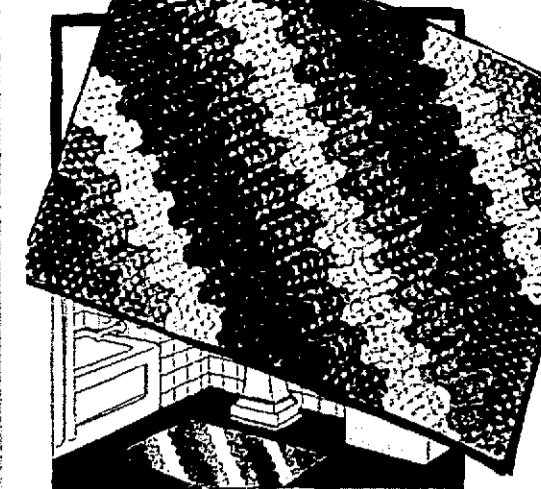
The newlyweds went to house-keeping at 369 Payne avenue.

The bride was graduated from Gallion high school in 1938 and is employed at the North Electric Manufacturing Co. She has been active in work at the Market Street Methodist church.

Her husband is also employed at the North Electric Co. and he attended the Gallion high school.

Overseas made of a special light material can be carried in two containers on the handle of a new umbrella.

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REUNION HELD BY BROTHERS, SISTER

A family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lower of 466 Scranton avenue Sunday was in the form of a reunion for Mr. Lower, his sister Mrs. Paul Baerlin of Hicksville, and his brother Harry Sims of Bryan, who had not seen one another for 31 years. Here for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Sims and children and Mr. and Mrs. Baerlin and son. Mrs. Baerlin and Mr. Sims, twins, were adopted shortly after eight of the children's home here 31 years ago. Mr. Lower learned of the whereabouts of his brother and sister recently through another sister living in Indianapolis. All except one of the children still are living insofar as Mr. Lower knows.

A law in Texas says it is unsafe to haul a load of more than 7,000 pounds on a truck, except when the truck is going to a railroad station, when 15,000 pounds may be hauled.

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Marriage Meddlers

By ADELE GARRISON
"but you know that already."

I ignored the answer, and hurried on, anxious to finish the revelation.

"He hoped that if you could have your lost emeralds restored to you, and were financially independent once more, you would give him an affirmative answer to his proposal; therefore, he asked me to find out from you the name of the jeweler from whom those marvelous emeralds were bought."

Suspects Plan
As if the words had galvanized her into action, Queen Olga rose swiftly from her chair, her clenched hand going involuntarily to her heart.

"No!" she breathed. "You can't mean that!"

I saw that she had grasped his plan immediately, and my response was quick.

"Yes," I mean exactly that," I said. "He told me that he intended duplicating the emeralds so that you would never know the imposture, and have them restored to you in such a manner that you would never suspect he had any hand in the restoration."

Her eyes were suddenly starry. "What a magnificent gesture!" she said. "And how like Philip! No one in the world but he would make it."

Had Emeralds Marked

A smile, infinitely tender, curved her lips, and, to my surprise, there was a hint of amusement in it.

"Poor Philip! The gesture would have been useless as far as my knowing my own emeralds was concerned. Directly after they came into my possession, I summoned a jewel expert, one from a different establishment, indeed, from a different city than the one in which the gems were bought, and had him make a tiny but unmistakable mark on the inside of each gem. I would know my own anywhere."

"Then," I said with disappointment in my voice, "this magnificent gesture would have been as futile as is my betrayal of it."

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